

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Attn: Office of Petitions  
Madison West Bldg.**

In re the Application of

Kiyoaki MURAI et al.

Application No.: 09/966,267

Filed: October 1, 2001

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD, IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, ELECTRONIC  
DEVICE, IMAGE PROCESSING PROGRAM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM ON WHICH  
THE SAME PROGRAM IS RECORDED

Confirmation No.: 4174

Allowed: November 15, 2005

Group Art Unit: 2675

Examiner: C. NGUYEN

Docket No.: 110750

**PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE AFTER  
PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)**

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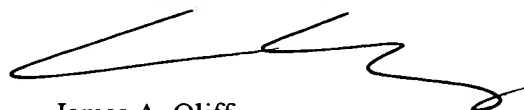
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